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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Normal.	Current.
Prices of food grains—Rice	...	... 10 to 11	7 to 8
Ragi	...	... 25 to 30	19 to 20

Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are in good condition.

Water sufficient. Fodder growing very dear.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

(Information not received.)

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, cholum and turmeric, are reported to be in good condition. Haraka in Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur; samè in Chintamani; turmeric and kulthi in Goribidnur are being sown. Vysakhi paddy in Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Goribidnur, and cholum in Bagepalli are being harvested.

10. Prospects remain stationary. Rain is badly wanted in parts of Mulbagal, Kolar and Chintamani Taluks.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy and sugar-cane in Tumkur and Gubbi; paddy in Maddagiri, Pavagada, Kunigal and Koratagere are being harvested. Cholum, black and green gram, gingelly seeds and castor in Chiknayakanhalli; ragi, pigeon pea and cow gram in Sira are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season fair.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. Standing crops such as ragi, cholum, togari, sessamum, sugar-cane, mulberry, castor, paddy, black and green grams, ballar and harka are reported to be in a fair condition in most parts of the District. In some parts it is reported that want of rain is still felt. Fields in parts of Nagamangala are being ploughed for sowing ragi. Black and green grams are being harvested in most parts of Seringapatam.

10. Prospects of the season fair. None employed on relief works. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient for the present.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available in all parts of the district.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, ragi, sugar-cane in Hassan, Belur, Arsikere, Arkalgud and Alur, and paddy seedlings in Manjarabad are said to be in good condition. Paddy and other crops in Channarayapatna and the lately sown crops in Hole-Narsipur are said to be slightly withering for want of rain. More rain is required in Hassan, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good. Small-pox is reported to be prevalent on a moderate scale in the town of Hole-Narsipur and certain villages of that taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available except in Channarayapatna where pasture is said to be insufficient.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The lands are being ploughed and prepared for sowing paddy throughout the district. Paddy has been partly sown in the Malnad and Semi-malnad Taluks. Sessamum in Channagiri and Honnali, and green gram in Honnali have also been sown. The standing crop *viz.*, sugar-cane is in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Some rains have fallen during this week also, but more are wanted. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane is in good condition in the Tarikere, Kadur, Chikmagalur and Koppa Taluks; gingelly, green gram, black gram, cholum, ragi and chillies sown in Tarikere, Chikmagalur and Kadur are in good condition. Paddy is being sown in Koppa, Mudgere, Tarikere, Chikmagalur, Yedahalli and Sringeri. Car paddy is being harvested in Kadur. Ploughing and sowing operations are in progress in Mudgere and Sringeri.

10. Prospects of the season favourable. Food stocks are available in all the taluks and are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle are reported to be thriving well. Fodder is available in all the taluks except at Kadur and Koppa where it is rather scanty.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sessamum, cholum, togari, Castor, green and black grams are being sown in some parts of Challakere, Davangere, Hiriyur, Molakalmuru, Holalkere and Jagalur.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur and Hosdurga.

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